UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT **DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

ROBERT EMMA, Custodian, IRA, DTD 7/10/97.

Plaintiff,

VS.

Civil Action No. 04-CV-12106 NMG

RS INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, L.P., PFPC DISTRIBUTORS, INC., G. RANDALL HECHT, LEONARD B. AUERBACH, JEROME S. CONTRO, JOHN W. GLYNN JR. and MICHAEL MCCAFFERY,

Defendants, and

RS EMERGING GROWTH FUND,

Nominal Defendant.

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.5.2(a), notice is hereby given of the appearance of Michelle H. Blauner of the law firm of Shapiro Haber & Urmy, LLP, Exchange Place, 53 State Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02109, (617) 439-3939, as counsel for the Plaintiffs in the above-captioned matter.

Dated: March 24, 2005 Respectfully submitted,

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